Press release

White Christmas this year, but how far south?

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Met Office forecasters are predicting the possibility of some snow this Christmas, but still cannot be certain how far south the snow will fall. Colder weather will edge south across UK on Christmas Eve and during Christmas Day.

The forecasters will be fine-tuning their predictions in the next few days as Ewen McCallum, Head of Forecasting at the Met Office, says: "There's going to be an interesting battle going on over Christmas between cold air over the north of the country, and milder weather in the south. It looks like the colder air will win for a time, bringing some snow mainly in the north and east. However, in weather forecasting terms, Christmas is still a long way off and, for an update on the details, it's best to check our forecasts over the next few days."

Further climate information about UK white Christmases.

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